

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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March 1 - 8, 2010 Edition

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73 de Bruce, WA7BNM (bhorn@hornucopia.com)

This e-mail is divided into three sections:

- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

North Carolina QSO Party: 1700Z, Feb 28 to 0300Z, Mar 1

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Op Mixed (NC/non-NC)

Single Op SSB (NC/non-NC)

NC Mobile

NC Club Mixed

NC Club SSB

Single Op QRP (NC/non-NC)

Exchange: NC: County

non-NC: (state/province/country)

Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: 2 points per phone QSO

3 points per CW QSO

3 points per NC mobile QSO (regardless of mode)

Bonus Points: 50 points for at least one QSO with Cherokee or Dare counties; 150 points for both

Bonus Points: 50 points for at least one QSO with W4NC or W4WS; 150 points for both

Bonus Points for NC Mobiles: 100 points for each county activated

Multipliers: NC stations: Each NC county, state, province, and one DXCC country once

Non-NC stations: Each NC county once

Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points

Submit logs by: April 1, 2010

E-mail logs to: ncqp[at]windstream[dot]net

Mail logs to: NC QSO PARTY

c/o Henry Heidtmann W2DZO

8812 Merry Hill Court
Lewisville, NC 27023
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.w4nc.com/2010ncqsoparty.html>

ARS Spartan Sprint: 0200Z-0400Z, Mar 2

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Skinny
Tubby

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Power

Work stations: Once per band

Submit logs by: March 4, 2010

E-mail logs to: [spartansprint\[at\]yahoo\[dot\]com](mailto:spartansprint[at]yahoo[dot]com)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: http://adventure-radio.org/wiki/index.php?title=Spartan_Sprint_Rules

AGCW YL-CW Party: 1900Z-2100Z, Mar 2

Mode: CW

Bands: 80m Only

Classes: YL
OM
SWL

Exchange: YL: RST + Serial No. + "/YL/" + name

OM: RST + Serial No. + "/" + name

QSO Points: 1 point per YL-OM QSO

2 points per YL-YL QSO

0 points per OM-OM QSO

Extra Points: 1 point per country worked

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points + extra points

Submit logs by: March 31, 2010

E-mail logs to: [dl6kcr\[at\]web\[dot\]de](mailto:dl6kcr[at]web[dot]de)

Mail logs to: Dr. Roswitha Otto, DL6KCR
St. Nikolaus Str. 26
D-52396 Heimbach
Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:YL-CW-Party>

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Mar 5

Mode: (see rules)

Bands: (see rules)

Classes: (none)

Exchange: (see rules)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: March 7, 2010

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at: <http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html>

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 6 to 2400Z, Mar 7

Mode: SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)

Single Op Single Band

Single Op Unlimited

Multi-Single

Multi-Two

Multi-Multi

Max power: HP: 1500 watts

LP: 150 watts

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: W/VE: RS + (state/province)

non-W/VE: RS + power

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 3 points per QSO

Multipliers: W/VE: Each DXCC country once per band

Non-W/VE: Each state, District of Columbia, VE province/territory

once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 2359Z April 5, 2010

E-mail logs to: DXPhone[at]arrl[dot]org

Mail logs to: ARRL Intl DX Contest, Phone

ARRL

225 Main St.

Newington, CT 06111

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2010/intldx.html>

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: 0600Z-0629Z, Mar 6 and 0630Z-0659Z, Mar 6 and 0700Z-0729Z, Mar 6 and 0730Z-0800Z, Mar 6

Mode: CW

Bands: 40, 20m

Classes: (none)

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + Serial No. + suffix of previous QSO ("QRP" for 1st QSO)

Work stations: Once per band per period

QSO Points: 1 point per km

Multipliers: 1 point per new station worked on each band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total multiplier points

Submit logs by: March 13, 2010

E-mail logs to: ru-qrp-club[at]mail[dot]ru

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: [http://qrp.ru/modules/sections/index.php?](http://qrp.ru/modules/sections/index.php?op=viewarticle&artid=7&page=1)

[op=viewarticle&artid=7&page=1](http://qrp.ru/modules/sections/index.php?op=viewarticle&artid=7&page=1)

Open Ukraine RTTY Championship: 2000Z-2159Z, Mar 6 (Low Band) and 2200Z-2359Z, Mar 6 (Low Band) and 0800Z-1159Z, Mar 7 (High Band)

Mode: RTTY

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Op Multi-Band

Single Op Single Band

Multi-Op Multi-Band

Exchange: 2-letter regional abbrev. (state/province/canton, etc.) + Serial No.
(restart serial no. for high band)

Work stations: Once per band per period
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO
 10 points per new region once per band per period
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total points
Submit logs by: April 8, 2010
E-mail logs to: krs[at]model[dot]poltava[dot]ua
Mail logs to: George Ignatov (UT1HT)
 P.O. Box 87
 Kremenchug-21 39621
 UKRAINE
Find rules at: http://www.ucc.zp.ua/rtty2010rules_eng.htm

UBA Spring Contest, CW: 0700Z-1100Z, Mar 7
Mode: CW
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single
 SWL
Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
 QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: ON: RST + Serial No. + UBA Section
 non-ON: RST + Serial No.
QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian station
Multipliers: Each UBA Section
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 28, 2010
E-mail logs to: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
Mail logs to: Michel Gerits, ON4CAQ
 Mommestraat 69
 B-3550 Heusden Zolder
 Belgium
Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/sites/default/files/uploads/hf_contests/uba_spring_en.pdf

DARC 10-Meter Digital Contest: 1100Z-1700Z, Mar 7
Mode: RTTY, Amtor, Clover, PSK31, Pactor
Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Single Op
 SWL
Exchange: RST + Serial No.
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each WAE/DCXX area
 Each W/VE call area
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 6, 2010
E-mail logs to: df5bx[at]darc[dot]de
Mail logs to: Werner Ludwig, DF5BX
 P.O. Box 1270
 49110 Georgsmarienhuetten
 Germany
Find rules at: <http://www.darc.de/referate/ukw-funksport/sonder/tei-digi.htm>

SARL Hamnet 40m Simulated Emerg Contest: 1200Z-1400Z, Mar 7
Mode: SSB

Bands: 40m Only

Classes: A: Single Op Stationary Mobile

B: Single Op Portable

C: Multi-Op Portable

D: Single Op Base Station

Exchange: Class A: RS + Serial No. (starting with 201)

Class B: RS + Serial No. (starting with 401)

Class C: RS + Serial No. (starting with 601)

Class D: RS + Serial No. (starting with 801)

Non-participants: RS + Serial No. (starting with 001)

Score Calculation: (see rules)

Submit logs by: March 22, 2010

E-mail logs to: contest[at]pears[dot]ham-radio-op[dot]net

Mail logs to: Hamnet Eastern Cape

Al Akers, ZS2U

53 Clarence Street

Westering, Port Elizabeth 6025

South Africa

Find rules at: <http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/SARL%202010%20Contest%20Manual.pdf>

NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

CLARA HF Contest	1700Z, Mar 9 to 1700Z, Mar 10
	1700Z, Mar 13 to 1700Z, Mar 14
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1100Z-1200Z, Mar 10 1900Z-2000Z, Mar 10 0300Z-0400Z, Mar 11
HA3NS Sprint Memorial Contest	1830Z-1900Z, Mar 12 (80m) 1900Z-1930Z, Mar 12
(40m)	
RSGB Commonwealth Contest	1000Z, Mar 13 to 1000Z, Mar 14
AGCW QRP Contest	1400Z-2000Z, Mar 13
ARCI HF Grid Square Sprint	1500Z-1800Z, Mar 13
Feld Hell Sprint	1600Z-1800Z, Mar 13
EA PSK31 Contest	1600Z, Mar 13 to 1600Z, Mar 14
Elecraft QSO Party	1800Z, Mar 13 to 1800Z, Mar 14
SOC Marathon Sprint	1800Z-2400Z, Mar 13
Idaho QSO Party	1900Z, Mar 13 to 1900Z, Mar 14
North American Sprint, RTTY	0000Z-0400Z, Mar 14
SKCC Weekend Sprint	0000Z-2400Z, Mar 14
UBA Spring Contest, 6m	0700Z-1100Z, Mar 14
NSARA Contest	1100Z-1500Z, Mar 14 1700Z-2100Z, Mar 14
Bucharest Contest	1600Z-1729Z, Mar 15 1730Z-1859Z, Mar 15

Wisconsin QSO Party
Mar 15

1800Z, Mar 14 to 0100Z,

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

REF Contest, CW: March 2, 2010

E-mail: [cdfcw\[at\]ref-union\[dot\]org](mailto:cdfcw[at]ref-union[dot]org)

Mail: F6CTT

Cornee Fromy Joseph

Route de Coesmes

F-35240 Retiers

France

Find rules at: http://concours.ref-union.org/reglements/actuels/reg_cdfhfdx.pdf

UBA DX Contest, SSB: March 2, 2010

E-mail: [ubassb\[at\]uba\[dot\]be](mailto:ubassb[at]uba[dot]be)

Mail: UBA HF Manager

Carine Ramon, ON7LX

Bruggesteeweg 77

B-8755 Ruiselede

Belgium

Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/sites/default/files/uploads/hf_contests/ubatest_dx.pdf

ARS Spartan Sprint: March 4, 2010

E-mail: [spartansprint\[at\]yahoo\[dot\]com](mailto:spartansprint[at]yahoo[dot]com)

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: http://adventure-radio.org/wiki/index.php?title=Spartan_Sprint_Rules

PODXS 070 Club Valentine Sprint: March 5, 2010

E-mail: [w4krn\[at\]his\[dot\]com](mailto:w4krn[at]his[dot]com)

Mail: Karen Russo, W4KRN

7720 Willow Pond Lane

Nokesville, VA 20181

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.podxs070.com/valentine-sprint>

Russian PSK WW Contest: March 7, 2010

E-mail: [ra3bb\[at\]mail\[dot\]ru](mailto:ra3bb[at]mail[dot]ru)

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.qrz.ru/contest/detail/384>

ARCI Fireside SSB Sprint: March 7, 2010

E-mail: [contest\[at\]qrparci\[dot\]org](mailto:contest[at]qrparci[dot]org)

Mail: Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF

139 Elizabeth St. W.

Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3

Canada

Find rules at: <http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8344/118/>

FYBO Winter QRP Sprint: March 7, 2010

E-mail: FYB02010@azscorpions.org

Mail: John Stevens,
Attn: FYBO
21547 N. 91st Drive
Peoria AZ 85382
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.azscorpions.org/FYB02010.htm>

Black Sea Cup International: March 8, 2010

E-mail: bscup@ur5eaw.com

Mail: BSCI
Box 4
KERCH 98319
UKRAINE

Find rules at: <http://bscc.ucoz.ru/index/0-21>

Mexico RTTY International Contest: March 8, 2010

E-mail: xe3rr@prodigy.net.mx

Mail: Daniel Baraggia, XE3RR
Concursos FMRE
Calle Meteoro 5 Mza. 4 Lote 5 S.M. 47
Residencial La Herradura
Cancun, Q.Roo 77505
Mexico

Find rules at: <http://www.fmre.org.mx/concursos/2010/rtty/rules-rtty-2010-eng.doc>

Delaware QSO Party: March 9, 2010

E-mail: qsoparty@gmail.com

Mail: Contest Chairman, FSARC
PO Box 1050
Newark, DE 19715
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.fsarc.org/DEQSO.html>

Vermont QSO Party: March 9, 2010

E-mail: vtqsologs@westriverradio.org

Mail: Vermont QSO Party
c/o Darrel Daley, K1KU
PO Box 445
Putney, VT 05346-0445
USA

Find rules at: <http://vtqsoparty.westriverradio.org/VTQSORules.htm>

ARRL School Club Roundup: March 12, 2010

E-mail: (none)

Mail: School Club Roundup
c/o Lew Malchick, N2RQ
Brooklyn Technical HS ARC
29 Fort Greene Place

Brooklyn, NY 11217
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/SCR/rules/>

North American QSO Party, RTTY: March 13, 2010

E-mail: (see rules, web upload preferred)

Upload log at: <http://www.ncjweb.com/naqplogssubmit.php>

Mail: Shelby Summerville, K4WW
6506 Lantana Ct.
Louisville, KY 40229-1544
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.ncjweb.com/naqprules.php>

KCJ Topband Contest: March 14, 2010

E-mail: kcj-log@kcj-cw.com

Mail: M. Namba
1420-55 Kibara, Sammu-city
Chiba 289-1212
Japan

Find rules at: http://www.kcj-cw.com/contest/10_toptest_rules_e.pdf

YLRL YL-OM Contest: March 15, 2010

E-mail: n0wbv@earthlink.net

Mail: Cheryl Muhr
PO Box 342
Littleton, CO 80160
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.ylrl.org/ylcontests.html>

AGCW Semi-Automatic Key Evening: March 15, 2010

E-mail: semiautomatic@agcw.de

Mail: Manager:
Ulf-Dietmar Ernst, DK9KR
Elbstrasse 60
D-28199 Bremen
Germany

Find rules at: http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:Semi_Automatic_Key_evening

Dutch PACC Contest: March 15, 2010

E-mail: pacc@dutchpacc.com

Upload log at: <http://pacc.veron.nl/logsubmission.html>

Mail: PACC Contest Manager
c/o VERON Central Bureau
PO Box 1166
6801 BD Arnhem
The Netherlands

Find rules at: <http://pacc.veron.nl/>

FISTS Winter Sprint: March 15, 2010

E-mail: wa1lad@cox.net

Mail: Gil Woodside, WA1LAD
30 Hilltop Ave.
West Warwick, RI 02893-2825
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.fists.org/sprints.html>

Louisiana QSO Party: March 15, 2010

E-mail: laqso@bellsouth.net

Mail: LAQSO Party

508 Hache St.

Houma, LA 70364

USA

Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/kd5wdy/LAQSO_/LAQSO_Rules/laqso_rules.html

Minnesota QSO Party: March 15, 2010

E-mail: MNQP@ISD.NET

Mail: MNQP

4745-170th Lane NE

Ham Lake, MN 55304-5233

USA

Find rules at: http://www.w0aa.org/mnqp_rules.htm

OMISS QSO Party: March 15, 2010

E-mail: (none)

Upload log at: <http://www.omiss.net/Facelift/qsoElectronic.php>

Mail: OMISS QSO Party

c/o James Main, N8FV

4427 S. Dangle

Muskegon, MI 49444

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.omiss.net/Facelift/qsoparty.php>

YL-ISSB QSO Party, SSB: March 19, 2010

E-mail: ve1jim@ns.sympatico.ca

Mail: Jim Flowers, VE1JIM

13 Rufus Ave

Halifax, Nova Scotia B3N 2L4

Canada

Find rules at: <http://www.ylsystem.org/qsoparty/qsodates.htm>

YL-ISSB QSO Party, CW: March 19, 2010

E-mail: ve1jim@ns.sympatico.ca

Mail: Jim Flowers, VE1JIM

13 Rufus Ave

Halifax, Nova Scotia B3N 2L4

Canada

Find rules at: <http://www.ylsystem.org/qsoparty/qsodates.htm>

High Speed Club CW Contest: March 21, 2010

E-mail: hsccontest@googlemail.com

Mail: Jo Mertens, DJ4EY

HSC Contest Manager

Am Muhlebruch 32

59581 Warstein

Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.fmcnet.de/hsc/en/contests.html>

AWA Amplitude Modulation QSO Party: March 21, 2010

E-mail: lbisha[at]rochester[dot]rr[dot]com

Mail: Lynn Bisha, W2BSN
83 Parkwood Lane
Penfield, NY 14526-1307
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.antiquewireless.org/pdf/amqso2010.pdf>

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, CW: March 22, 2010

E-mail: DXCW[at]arrl[dot]org
Mail: ARRL Intl DX Contest, CW
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2010/intldx.html>

EPC WW DX Contest: March 28, 2010

E-mail: epcwwdx[at]srars[dot]org
Mail: (none)

Find rules at: http://www.epcwwdx.srars.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=44:epc-ww-dx-contest-rules-2010&catid=34:contest-rules&Itemid=59

REF Contest, SSB: March 30, 2010

E-mail: cdfssb[at]ref-union[dot]org
Mail: F6IRF
Destrem Patrick
Route de Peignat
F-74150 Marcellaz Albanais
France

Find rules at: http://concours.ref-union.org/reglements/actuels/reg_cdfhfdx.pdf

UBA DX Contest, CW: March 30, 2010

E-mail: ubacw[at]uba[dot]be
Mail: UBA HF Manager
Carine Ramon, ON7LX
Bruggesteeweg 77
B-8755 Ruiselede
Belgium

Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/sites/default/files/uploads/hf_contests/ubatest_dx.pdf

CQC Winter QSO Sprint: March 30, 2010

E-mail: ki0rb[at]arrl[dot]net
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: <http://www.cqc.org/contests/winter10.htm>

British Columbia QSO Party: March 31, 2010

E-mail: bcqsoparty[at]deltaamateurradio[dot]com
Mail: Delta Amateur Radio Society
1108-56 Street
Delta, BC V4L 2A3
Canada

Find rules at: http://www.deltaamateurradio.com/bcqsoparty/Delta_Amateur_Radio/

Rules.html

CQ 160-Meter Contest, SSB: March 31, 2010

E-mail: 160ssb[at]kkn[dot]net

Mail: CQ 160-Meter Contest
25 Newbridge Road
Hicksville, NY 11801
USA

Find rules at: http://cq-amateur-radio.com/160_Rules_2010EmsNov09.pdf

Mississippi QSO Party: March 31, 2010

E-mail: (none)

Mail: Vicksburg ARC
64 Lake Circle Drive
Vicksburg, MS 39180
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrlmiss.org/msqso2010.pdf>

AGCW YL-CW Party: March 31, 2010

E-mail: dl6kcr[at]web[dot]de

Mail: Dr. Roswitha Otto, DL6KCR
St. Nikolaus Str. 26
D-52396 Heimbach
Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:YL-CW-Party>

New Hampshire QSO Party: March 31, 2010

E-mail: n1ix[at]n1ix[dot]com

Mail: Dave LeDuc
26 Tanglewood Dr.
Newton, NH 03858
USA

Find rules at: http://erockares.blogs.com/files/qsonh_rules.pdf

North Carolina QSO Party: April 1, 2010

E-mail: ncqp[at]windstream[dot]net

Mail: NC QSO PARTY
c/o Henry Heidtmann W2DZO
8812 Merry Hill Court
Lewisville, NC 27023
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.w4nc.com/2010ncqsoparty.html>

Classic Exchange, CW: April 15, 2010

E-mail: WQ8U[at]NC[dot]RR[dot]COM

Mail: WQ8U
104 W. Queen St.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
USA

Find rules at: <http://qsl.asti.com/CX/>

Classic Exchange, Phone: April 15, 2010

E-mail: WQ8U[at]nc[dot]rr[dot]com

Mail: WQ8U

104 W. Queen St.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
USA

Find rules at: <http://qsl.asti.com/CX/feb10announcement.html>

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